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Oct. 31, Nov. 1-2

TOWN COUNCIL

Economy—and lots of it—seems to be the ruling factor of the Town Council nowadays. Indeed parsimony might be a better word to illustrate their considerations.

One motion alone at the last meeting, if put into effect by the Council of 1919 will have the effect of reducing the pay roll of Town officials by \$1425.00 next year.

Mayor Bredin is nothing if not consistent, and his decision not to attend the Alberta Municipalities Convention at Medicine Hat at the taxpayers expense, was only to be expected in the light of his efforts to reduce expenditures in other directions.

There is but little doubt that the Council intends to enforce the most rigid economies possible in the effort to pull the town round out of its dangerous financial position and it remains to be seen whether there will be any improvement or whether the town will suffer from the result of its parsimony.

The business of the meeting was as follows:

An application from J. J. Radford for the purchase of lot 8, Plan 3154A0 enclosing the sum of \$35.00 was accepted.

Letters from the Allis-Chalmers Co. with reference to the supplying of oil-switch for new electrical pump was referred to Water Works Committee for investigation with power to act.

Letter from the Hunter Hotel enquiring what discount the town would make for purchase of coal in large quantities. It was decided that no reduction could be made by the town on present low price.

Letter from G. B. R. Bond offering to exchange his typewriter which was comparatively new and included all equipment necessary for the town's work; for the machine owned by the town which was not complete. The offer was accepted.

Letter from Dep. Minister of Education stating that the Poll tax could only be enforced in districts recognized as infirming centres. The secretary was instructed to make further application for authority to impose the tax.

Then followed a courteous request from the Secretary of the School Board, touching the Council for \$1000.00 with which to pay salaries and current expenses—Hal Caesar.

Petition of Ratepayers was presented to the Council praying for the imposition of an Improvement tax.

The Secretary notified the Council that Mr. Beck had obtained the consent of his landlord for the installation of water and sewer, provided the town installed same cost of which was to be met out of rents. The work was ordered to be done provided guarantees are given the Council.

Dr. Barlow informed Council he was prepared to put in the connections at his own expense provided the Council obtain consent of landlord for cost to be deducted from rent.

Secretary reported that there had been no petitions against the proposed closing of streets and lanes as advertised in local newspaper.

Councillor Skeritt was reappointed Dep. Mayor for ensuing three months.

Dean Milroy moved and Coun. Torgan seconded that all salaries of Town officials over \$1000.00 per month be reduced at January 1st, 1919 by 25 per cent, and that Secretary notify each of the proposed forthwith—carried.

The Mayor called the attention of the Council to the fact that

Red X Annual Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the local branch of the Red Cross Society was held at the Town Hall on Thursday last.

Thirteen women and five men were all that constituted the great work to be of sufficient importance to demand their attendance at the meeting to hear the reports and select officers for the coming year.

Nevertheless the reports showed that Bassano in the past year has done a tremendous amount of real hard work for the Society and have also raised a considerable amount of money.

One of the brightest features of the report was that which showed the amount of work accomplished by the Junior Branch. These young girls have contributed almost one-half of the total pieces sent to headquarters during the past year—which is a matter for the greatest praise as far as the girls are concerned and should provide the adults with much food for reflection.

The financial statement showed an increase of nearly one hundred per cent in subscriptions and donations, and the finance committee to be worthy of hearty congratulation.

The officers for the ensuing year were then elected.

Mrs. Morden, the retiring president, was the enthusiastic and unanimous choice of the meeting as president, and though pleading for the nomination of some other lady for the position Mrs. Morden was prevailed upon to assume the office for another term. Mrs. Murdoch, the retiring secretary was also persuaded to remain in office for another year.

The faithful and energetic service these two ladies have rendered the cause has been in a great measure, responsible for the success attained during the past year, and their reelection is a guarantee that the work will continue successfully during the coming year.

The full list of officers and committees is as follows:

President, Mrs. Morden; Vice-President, Mrs. Jos. Wright; Secretary Mrs. Murdoch; Treasurer G. W. Boyd; Executive, Mrs. Bredin; Mrs. Tugdell and Mrs. Bulmer; Finance, E. G. Allen, H. D. Bredin, A. McKee, and R. McLean.

It was decided to hold the meetings in the afternoon again, as the evening meetings have been very poorly attended lately, and owing to the continued kindness of T. H. Hunter the sample rooms of the Hunter Hotel will be the place of meeting.

A vote of thanks to the officers of last year for their unremitting and successful labors brought the meeting to a close.

Under the Soldier's Homes Exemption Act the property owned by Fred Bond should have been exempt from taxation, and whereas Mrs. Bond had paid her taxes to the town recently not having been acquainted of the provisions of the Act, such taxes should be refunded to her immediately.

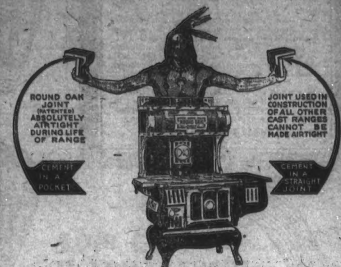
Needless to say a motion to that effect was immediately put and carried.

All surface pipe belonging to the town was ordered to be taken up and stored.

It was also decided to approach the Provincial Government regarding the condition of the road to Majorville.

By-laws 124 and 125 were read and finally passed by Council, after which Council adjourned.

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An Advertisement by Charles Dickens



CHARLES DICKENS is one of the world's great teachers. Here is what he has to say in one of his books:

"My other piece of advice, Copperfield," said Mr. Micawber, "you know. Annual income £20, annual expenditure £19 10 6—result, happiness. Annual income £20, annual expenditure £20 0 6—result, misery. The blossom is blighted, the leaf is withered, the God of Day goes down upon the dreary scene, and—and is gone, you are forever doored. As I am."

The saving of a part of one's income was always a good policy.

Prudent men and women have always maintained a margin of saving.

But to-day we must go farther in our efforts to save than ever before.

To-day it is a matter of the gravest importance that each Canadian seek ways and means to economize by cutting down expenditures for unnecessary things, saving the money he spends on things he could do without, so that when the Nation needs to borrow money he will be in a position to do his full duty.

There is war-shortening work waiting for every dollar that can be saved.

IF Charles Dickens were writing to Canadians to-day he would probably give us advice to this effect.

"My other piece of advice, Canadians, you know. No matter what percentage of your annual income you have previously saved, your efforts to-day should be to save more. The advantage of so doing is twofold. By the practice of economy you conserve the material and labor which must be devoted to the price that before all else cultivates the priceless habit of thrift; you gather more and more money to lend to the Nation for the prosecution of the war to a quick and certain victory."

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The Bassano Mail

Publishers: The Mail Publishing Co., Ltd.
Managing Editor: E. G. Allen

It has been brought to our attention that the Bassano Municipal Hospital is in danger of being closed shortly on account of the increasing difficulty in operating it by our local doctor.

Townpeople will receive the news with regret and apprehension for the service rendered by the hospital has been a great boon ever since its inception.

But to our country people the closing of the hospital will be a calamity for the idea of having to send the sick to either Medicine Hat or Calgary must fill them with dismay.

Had the plans for the Municipal Hospital District not been delayed or openly neglected it is possible that the coming winter would not have found the whole district without such an institution, and, doubtless, the fact that Dr. Scott's hospital was still in existence has helped considerably to delay the fulfilment of the preliminary arrangements.

It is, we are glad to announce, not too late yet to have the Hospital district formed in time to avert the danger of a hospital-less winter.

We would point out to our country friends who may not fully understand the terms of the act relating to the establishment of a Municipal Hospital District that nothing can be done without the consent of the ratepayers who themselves choose the site or buildings for the hospital and who elect from each district comprising the Hospital District trustees to represent them on the board.

The cost of such an institution spread as it is over so large an area as nine local improvement districts is exceedingly small, and, in fact, cannot, at the very limit, exceed a cost of 3 cents per acre.

But the petitions for the formation of the district must be signed right away, for it is urgent in the extreme that we secure for the district the attention and service which a fully equipped municipal hospital alone can give.

Majorville, Gem, Kinrossdale, it is up to you. Get your petitions in at once and safeguard yourselves before the snows and frosts of winter arrive and you find your selves obliged to ship your sick and injured relatives or friends to Calgary or Medicine Hat.

Presentation to Private Bob Meyers to be Made Tonight

The local War Veterans Welfare Association will present Private Bob Meyers with the token of Bassano's recognition of Service rendered the country, during the capture of the Red Cross ship at the Gem theatre tonight (Thursday). Be there!

Chautauqua Attractions

IONIAN SERENADERS

The Ionian Serenaders are four vivacious girl entertainers who have been selected to open Chautauqua Festival with two spirited programs. The girls sing, play and incorporate with musical skill, popular appeal being the key-note of their different numbers.

"The striking thing about the Ionian Serenaders," writes one critic, "is their ability to establish instantaneous rapport between themselves and their audiences. They are capable of this in several ways, their MAXIMUM being achieved by the key-note of their different numbers. The girls' decision playing running a close second. The girls' own sense of the importance which all play and never fail to promote a wholesome hilarity."

As a matter of fact, however, the attention is only one of several instruments featured by the Ionians, the girls being equally proficient on the violin, "cello" and on the piano. Their songs are part of their program, comprising instrumental and vocal solos, duets, trios and numbers by the entire company. Their an hour program is always rounded out with clever sketches and impersonations in costume.

DR. G. WHITFIELD RAY

G. Whitfield Ray, F. R. G. S., also celebrated explorer who spent fourteen years in exploration in South America, and whose lecture on the little known republics of our southern continental neighbors have captured the attention of the country, is coming to Chautauqua. Festival on the second night.

No story told of the platform has reached more interest nor proved more timely in this epoch-making era when trade conditions are being changed by the great war, and South America is rapidly becoming a financial field of enormous importance. Dr. Ray will take you on a personally conducted tour of South America, graphically describing the vast area of the country, with room and fertility of soil to support the world; you'll pass through territory where few white men have ever penetrated, making the acquaintance of savage tribes with customs old as those of the Holy Land. You'll stand at the border of unexplored territory comprising tens of thousands of miles; distant hundred miles from a railroad, you'll follow the line, necessarily, visiting the oldest known cities built by prehistoric man, then look to marvel at the modernity of the present great cities of the country, which are among the most progressive in the world. You'll learn that Brazil is bigger than the whole of Europe, that it is twice the size of India, and three times the size of China. You'll get more South American geography and history in an hour and a half than you can ever learn in a year. And you'll get it at first hand from a man who knows South America as few know it, with all its wondrous narrative, amazing, pathetic, thrilling, interesting. An enthralling, informative travel talk.

Red Cross Society, Auditor's Report

RECEIPTS		
Balance on hand last report	44.25	
Balance in Bank last report	14.44	128.10
Annual membership fees		81.10
Life Membership fees:		
33 fully paid		1820.00
19 not paid & \$35.00	250.00	
Less balance unpaid	165.00	85.00 1410.00
Proceeds from Public Events:		
Oct. 1917 Tag Day	143.25	
Oct. 1917 Bazaar	75.35	
Nov. 1917 Chautauqua	305.45	
Feb. 1918 Valentine Dance	71.50	
May 1918 Victoria Day Dance	100.50	
Victory Loan Convalescent Commission	227.75	887.50
Individual Donations	102.65	
Donations	7.50	
Unrecorded to Date	3.00	
	2000.94	
DISBURSEMENTS		
Red Cross Supplies	1178.68	
Prizes of War	54.52	
Subscription to Provincial Fund	500.00	
Subscription - Oden Home	5.00	
British Red Cross	146.25	
Sewing Machine	50.00	
Miscellaneous Expenses	30.00	
Bank Balance	722.33	
Less Outstanding cheques	40.25	876.81
	2000.94	

I have examined the Cash Book, Vouchers and receipts of the Bassano Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society and hereby certify that the figures shown on this statement agree with the records of the Secretary and Treasurer.

J. W. FORD, Auditor.
Bassano, Alberta, September 27th, 1918.

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We give coupons with every spec. purchase of all the high grade guaranteed products made by the United Drug Company. We are willing to lose money on the silverware, when you can get it on our half bought plan. As an example, this teaspoon that sells for 25c you can get for 10c with coupons.

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\$100 REWARD
The above sum will be paid to anyone
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STRAYED
One Black and White steer, two-year
old, branded O F P on right ribs; one
Red and White Heifer, two-year old,
branded O F P on right ribs; one Red
and White yearling Heifer, branded O F P
on right ribs. \$100 Reward cash is
offered for recovery of same. Apply
FOX BROS. Bassano or Mail Office.

\$10 REWARD
STRAYED
One Black Horse branded X X on right
shoulder weighs about 1100 lbs. Reward
paid for information or recovery of
above by -
L. L. FRYDERGEL,
Gen.

\$25 REWARD
STRAYED
One Brown Mare, white star on forehead,
and white hind feet. One black
Mare with same markings as
above, branded J C and 50 on right
shoulder, two-inch star above withelars,
reached mane; 1 brown gelding,
white hind legs, branded as cat.
Above reward will be paid on any of
these animals found. Information to:
PAUL H. ALKINSON,
Brooks, Alberta.

\$20 REWARD
STRAYED
About June 15, 1918, from
11 miles northeast of Hinton: 1 black
piding, three white feet, white star on
forehead, two-inch star above withelars,
reached mane; 1 brown gelding,
white hind legs, branded as cat.
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For sale cheap. Address BOX 266,
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The Canada Food Board has announced
all the cream butter made during
October and up to November 1st
to be shipped to Great Britain and the
Allies.

While Canadians are accustomed to
two pounds of cream butter per
person, per month, or 5 ounces per
week, per person, the people of Great
Britain at the present time are content
to consume per week, per person, and 2
ounces of butter over their exclusive
large proportion of Oleomargarine.

Talk it over with **POTTER THE**
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can paint it up to look like new.

Government of the Province of Alberta.

Department of Municipal Affairs
File 310099.

Notice of Court for Confirmation of Returns of Unpaid Taxes.

Notice is hereby given that the Judge
of the District Court has appointed Wednesday
the 4th day of December 1918 at 10 o'clock
a.m. for the holding of a Court at the Court House in the City of
Calgary for confirmation of the Returns
of Unpaid Taxes made under the provisions
of Section 19 of the Improvement Districts Act,
covering the following Improvement Districts, viz:-
Numbers-100, 101, 102, 217, 212,
213, 218, 222, 249, 247, 231, 232,
233.

Also for the confirmation of the Returns
of Unpaid Taxes made under the provisions
of Section 11 of the Educational Tax Act, covering
the following Territorial Units, viz:-
Numbers-100, 101, 102, 217, 212,
213, 218, 222, 249, 247, 231, 232,
233.

Also for the confirmation of the Returns
of Unpaid Taxes made under the provisions
of Section 19 of the School Assessment Ordinance by the Secretary-
Treasurer of the following School District,
viz:-
Numbers-1471, 1454, 1505, 1680,
1696, 1780, 1822, 1947, 2305,
2380, 2392, 2792, 2794, 2811,
2831, 2850, 2903, 2988, 2990,
3100, 3102, 3221, 3283, as shown
on official map prepared by the
Department of Municipal Affairs.

Also for the confirmation of the Returns
of Unpaid Taxes made under the provisions
of Section 30 of the Wild Lands Tax Act, covering the following
Territorial Units, viz:-
Numbers-100, 101, 102, 217, 212,
213, 218, 222, 249, 247, 231, 232,
233.

Dated at Edmonton 28th August 1918.
J. H. LAMB,
Acting Deputy Minister,
Department of Municipal Affairs.

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The musical climax of our Festival
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Orchestra. It is said that the most
striking feature of this orchestra is the
refinement and delicacy of the entire
ensemble of its pieces. The girls play with
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the best music into prominence, with
an affection of expression that induces in
those who hear it a sense of the
refinement and delicacy of the entire
ensemble of its pieces.

The program given by the Ladies
Festival Orchestra are delightful in
character, pleasing alike to all, and the
claims of their ensemble work, never fail
to induce audience to the highest pitch
of enthusiasm. Their programs are well
balanced between classical, operatic,
patriotic and popular song lists.

Thanksgiving, Oct. 14th

NOTICE: On Monday, October
14th, Thanksgiving Day, our stores
will be closed all day.

McKEE'S STORE

Government of the Province of Alberta.

Department of Municipal Affairs

Notice of Court for Confirmation of Returns of Unpaid Taxes.

Notice is hereby given that the Judge
of the District Court has appointed Thursday
the 10th day of December 1918 at 10 o'clock
a.m. for the holding of a Court at the Court House in the Town of
Bassano for confirmation of the Returns
of Unpaid Taxes made under the provisions
of Section 19 of the Improvement Districts Act,
covering the following Improvement Districts, viz:-
Numbers-124, 131, 135, 136, 184,
185, 186, 216, 217, 218, 246, 247.

Also for the confirmation of the Returns
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of Section 11 of the Educational Tax Act, covering the following
Territorial Units, viz:-
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of Unpaid Taxes made under the provisions
of Section 19 of the School Assessment Ordinance by the Secretary-
Treasurer of the following School District,
viz:-
Numbers-2133, 2187, 2500, 3002,
3300, 3417, as shown on official
map prepared by the Department
of Municipal Affairs.

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of Unpaid Taxes made under the provisions
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Dated at EDMONTON, 28th August, 1918.

J. H. LAMB,
Acting Deputy Minister,
Department of Municipal Affairs.

NOTICE-MILITARY SERVICE ACT, 1917
REGISTRATION OF UNITED STATES CITIZENS

Male citizens of the United States living in Canada of
AGES 21-30, both inclusive, MUST REGISTER BY RE-
GISTERED POST with the Registrar under the Military
Service Act of the district in which they live, during the TEN
DAYS NEXT FOLLOWING SEPTEMBER 28th, 1918, and
such CITIZENS OF THE AGES 19, 20 AND 31-44, both
inclusive, must so register during the TEN DAYS NEXT
FOLLOWING OCTOBER 12th, 1918. It must be emphasized
that THIS INCLUDES AMERICANS LIVING IN CANADA
OF THE ABOVE AGES, MARRIED AND SINGLE, and in-
cludes ALSO ALL THOSE WHO HAVE SECURED DIPLO-
MATIC EXEMPTION OR HAVE REGISTERED WITH
AN AMERICAN CONSUL, OR HAVE REGISTERED FOR
MILITARY SERVICE IN THE UNITED STATES.

Registration letters may be handed to local Postmasters
for despatch to the proper Registrar, under the Military
Service Act.

MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH.

NOTICE-MILITARY SERVICE ACT, 1917
MEN EXEMPTED AS FARMERS

Having in view the importance of leaving a suffi-
cient number of men on those farms, which are
actually contributing to the National Food Supply,
notice is hereby given as follows:

1. ALL MEMBERS OF CLASS I POSSESSING
EXEMPTION AS FARMERS which is expiring and WHO
WISH TO REMAIN EXEMPT should communicate with
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Local and Personal.

Mrs. G. W. Boyd is visiting in Calgary this week.

Dr. W. G. Nelson was a visitor to Calgary on Monday.

Mrs. A. McKee returned from her vacation on Saturday.

Died - On Friday last, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Cador.

The next dance to be held in the Bassano Hall will be given on Friday next, October 11th.

Service will be held at the Anglican Church on Sunday next at 11 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wright were auto visitors to Calgary on Friday last.

C. C. Wilson hung up the huge score for five pins of 98 at Fortuit and Portier's alleys last week piling up six strikes in succession.

Miss L. Dauphly has accepted a position with Burns & Macdonald, and commenced her new duties on Monday.

Miss Cranley who has been visiting with Miss How at Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown's ranch returned to Calgary on Saturday.

Mrs. Mary of Irvine Alta., spent a few days in town this week visiting her daughter, the Misses Hoot of the Union Bank staff.

The draw for the horse donated by B. H. Bunney to the Red Cross will take place tonight at the Gem Theatre. Be there it will be worth it.

Thanksgiving Day falls on Monday October 14 and will be observed in town as a holiday. All the stores will be closed as also will the Banks.

Prin. W. A. Smith, Miss Guld and the Misses Newcombe are attending the Teachers' Convention at High River.

Letters received recently from old Bassano boys who are busily engaged "over there" would seem to indicate that their friends here are not doing their bit by writing them often enough.

Children under 13 who are accompanied by their parents will be admitted to the Gem free on Friday and Saturday when a film adaptation of the Mark Twain's Tom Sawyer will be shown.

Before Justice Kerritt on Tuesday a Langston ranch was fined \$1040 together with \$85.00 costs for illegally branding a bull, belonging to the Hawkeye Ranch, with his own brand. Pleistiff was represented by J. S. Mavor.

There is still a chance for you to get in on the raffia for B. H. Bunney's Colt as a few tickets are yet for sale. At any rate don't miss the big night at the Gem tonight (Thursday) for there will be the biggest 60 cent program ever staged.

Thanksgiving Day will be observed on Sunday in the Presbyterian Church, morning and evening. The Church will be decorated for the occasion and everyone is invited to come and enjoy the Thanksgiving services. Special music will be a feature of the day and the address at night will be based on the words: "What shall I render unto the Lord, for all His loving kindness and tender mercy?" A special offering on behalf of the Presbyterian Chaplain's Fund will be taken at the evening service. You are cordially invited to be present.

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